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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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•	Examiner: S. Rao
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:	Group Art Unit: 2814
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:	July 20, 2004
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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	15	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$42 \$86	\$0.00	
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145/\$290							
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00	

	°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.					
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed including the additional claims fees.					
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.					
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 CFR 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.					
X	Applicant's attorney, Steven E. Warner, may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.					
	Respectfully submitted,					
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In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: S. Rao
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	:	Group Art Unit: 2814
Application No.: 09/450,680)	
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Filed: November 30, 1999)	
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For: MINI-ENVIRONMENT POD DEVICE,)	
AN EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND A	:	
DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD)	
USING THE SAME	:	July 20, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows: